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## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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Instruction 1(b).

### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* HALTER WILLIAM A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES INC [ AKAM ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
<b><u>HALIEK W</u></b>	ILLIAW A			X	Director	10% Owner			
					Officer (give title	Other (specify			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/25/2005		below)	below)			
C/O AKAMAI	TECHNOLO	GIES, INC.	08/25/2005						
C/O AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 8 CAMBRIDGE CENTER									
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	lividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable				
(Street)				X	Form filed by One Re	porting Person			
CAMBRIDGE	MA	02142			Form filed by More th Person	an One Reporting			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)							

#### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr.					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D) Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150.4)		
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	08/25/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>		6,856	A	\$ <mark>0</mark>	6,856	D			
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	08/25/2005		M <sup>(2)</sup>		658	A	\$ <mark>0</mark>	7,514	D			
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	08/26/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>		7,355	A	\$ <mark>0</mark>	14,869	D			
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	08/29/2005		S <sup>(3)</sup>		5,000	D	\$13.67	9,869	D			

# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Deferred Stock Units <sup>(4)</sup>	\$0	08/25/2005		М			10,000	(4)	(5)	Common Stock	10,000	\$0	20,000	D	
Deferred Stock Units <sup>(6)</sup>	\$0	08/25/2005		М			932	(6)	(5)	Common Stock	932	\$0	2,797	D	
Deferred Stock Units <sup>(4)</sup>	\$0	08/26/2005		М			10,000	(4)	(5)	Common Stock	10,000	\$0	10,000	D	

#### Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents shares of Common Stock distributed in respect of Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") originally granted on August 26, 2003.

2. Represents shares of Common Stock distributed in respect of DSUs originally granted on May 25, 2004.

3. Shares were sold pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Plan adopted by Mr. Halter on May 19, 2005.

4. Each DSU represents the right to receive 1 share of Common Stock upon vesting. DSUs vest 33% on each of August 26, 2004, 2005 and 2006; however, Mr. Halter may elect to defer receipt of all or a portion of the shares of Common Stock issuable in respect of vested DSUs.

5. Not applicable.

6. Each DSU represents the right to receive 1 share of Common Stock upon vesting. DSUs vest 50% on May 25, 2005; and the remaining 50% vest in equal installments of 12.50% each quarter thereafter.

<u>/s/ William A. Halter</u> 08/29/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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